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Honorable James H. Welsh Commissioner of Conservation P.O. Box 94275 Baton Rouge, LA 70804-9275

Re: Justiss Oil Co., Inc. - Little Creek Field - Franklin #3

Wilcox B, Reservoir A, Sand Unit 138, LaSalle Parish, Louisiana My File No. 2007-222

## APPLICATION FOR PUBLIC HEARING

Dear Commissioner Welsh:

Application is hereby made on behalf of Justiss Oil Company., Inc, P.O. Box 2990, Jena, Louisiana 71342 for a public hearing to consider evidence relative to the issuance of an Order pertaining to the above captioned and the following matters:

- To grant an exception to the spacing provisions of Order #856-E as to permit the production of the "Justiss Oil Co., Inc.-Franklin #3 well at a location 172 feet from the East line and 120 feet from the North line of the Southwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter of Section 32, Township 9 North, Range 2 East, LaSalle Parish, Louisiana.
- To designate the proposed Justiss Oil Co., Inc.-Franklin #3 as an alternate unit well for WXB RA SU138, as defined by Order No. 856-E at said exceptional location, and to permit the operator to produce the unit allowable from the existing well(s) on the unit, the proposed alternate unit well, or from any combination thereof, at its discretion, and to designate Justiss Oil Company, Inc. as the unit operator.
- To determine that the proposed location will effectively and efficiently drain portions of the reservoir which would not otherwise be drained by the existing well bore in WXB RA SU138 absent the approval of the exceptional location
- 4) To consider any and all other matters which the Commissioner of Conservation may deem appropriate and necessary under the circumstances.

Order #856-E was promulgated by the Office of Conservation on April 14, 1986, effective

January 1, 1986 establishing rules and regulations and creating drilling and producing units for the Little Creek Field of LaSalle Parish, Louisiana for the Wilcox A through H Zones, Reservoir A. The order provides that additional wells located in the Little Creek Field, within or outside any of the units created thereby, should not be drilled within 330 feet of any unit boundary or within 660 feet of any other well which has been permitted for, drilled to or completed in the same zone.

The Wilcox B Zone, Reservoir A was fully and completely defined by Order #856-E as that oil and gas or gas and condensate bearing interval encountered between the depths of 2386 feet and 2438 feet (electric log measurements) in the Louisiana-Hunt Petroleum Corporation - Taylor No. A-1 well, located in Section 25, Township 9 North, Range 1 East, LaSalle Parish, Louisiana.

The applicant attaches hereto a plat depicting the proposed alternate unit well at exceptional location for the WXB RA SU138.

In accordance with the Rules of Procedure, the applicant has made a diligent effort to obtain the names and addresses of all interested owners and represented parties to whom notice of this application should be sent and a list of such names is attached hereto.

The applicant shall cause a copy of the Legal Notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation in LaSalle Parish, Louisiana and shall post a copy of the Legal Notice in a prominent place at the LaSalle Parish Courthouse, Jena, Louisiana.

A copy of this letter, the attached plat and list of interested owners and represented parties is also being sent to the District Manager of the Monroe District Office.

Enclosed is a Justiss Oil Co., Inc. check in the amount of \$755.00 as payment of the required filing fees.

Yours Very Truly,

DORROH & KENDRICK, a PLC

BY:

STEVEN P. KENDRICK

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enclosures (plat and list of interested owners and represented parties)

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Office of Conservation Monroe District Office P.O. Drawer 1651 Monroe, LA 71201

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Interested Owners and Represented Parties

